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NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For President of the United States.
JAMES A. GARFIELD,
of Ohio.

For Vice President of the United States.
CHESTER A. ARTHUR,
of New York.

The Irish Republicans are holding a National Convention at Indianapolis this week.

Order No. 40 was Hancock's lucky number. It drew him the Presidential nomination.

The White League of Louisiana love Gen. Hancock, for he proved himself their friend and defender.

Harper's Weekly: General Hancock is the respectable candidate of the Democratic party; but how has the Democratic party deserved the respect or the confidence of the country?

Col. W. M. Pelton, Tilden's nephew, who made an infamous name in the United States in being his Uncle's trusted man in his efforts to bribe his way to the Presidency, is dead.

Hancock is a millionaire and knows good money from bad. When the rebellion broke out he was sharp enough to perceive that greenbacks were better than Confederate scrip. Therefore why not make him President?

Hancock tells Tilden he wishes the present campaign run as Tilden run the last. Tilden at once sends a hundred thousand dollar check to the National Democratic Committee. Dr. Miller and Nels. Patrick of Omaha, are advised to hold themselves in readiness for orders to move on Oregon.

Gilbert H. Collins, a prominent business man of Omaha, who the papers of that city say, has been indulging freely in the use of intoxicating liquors of late, bought a case of bottled beer on Saturday evening last, took it home, drank a bottle, went into his bed room and deliberately blew his brains out with a pistol shot.

It is reliably reported that the Democrats in "Old Virginia" are to split up, that the Democratic electoral tickets will be placed in the field, and thus makes chances more than likely Garfield will carry that state. The old "Republican" soldiers won't swallow Hancock. He caused too much cold lead to be thrown among them.

Gen. Grant comes to the front in the matter of the report that he was for Hancock. He was a classmate of Hancock's at West Point, and like a true soldier speaks well of the man. He says: "Hancock's personal and military record are good. The record of the party running him is bad." "Grant wrote that." It is short and to the point.

Senator Hoar said, "Hancock is the mask of the Democratic party." But the mask cannot perform its office. The thoughtful honest citizen will look behind the mask, and behind devious platforms. That party can only understand truth by looking at what it has done, what it has tried to do, what it is now doing in the "solid south," to the deliberate utterances of its Senators and members of Congress. These constitute the test by which Democracy must be judged, and not by the candidate or platform gotten up for the emergency of an important election. A large majority of the people, we think will not be fooled by the Democratic mask.

When Hancock was placed in command in the south he at once inaugurated a system of military government to annul and thwart the constitution and laws of the United States and to undo the generous policy of Lincoln, Grant, and the Republican party; and upon the issues thus raised the Republicans elected Gen. Grant by an overwhelming popular majority. That work of Hancock cherished in the minds of the south for twelve years made him the present Democratic nominee. That issue, upon which Grant was elected is brought fresh before the people to-day; and Republicans, loyal men and veteran soldiers are asked to endorse order No. 40, Hancock's southern policy, and the very things they overwhelmingly condemned in 1868, and old soldiers should not forget all this.

What made Hancock popular with the Democrats?

His policy while in command at New Orleans of the department of the Southwest in 1868.

How soon we forget. That policy was to exterminate the Republican party of the south by counteracting the policy of Sheridan and Grant, which made white Republicans subject to murder or banishment, kept all Republicans from the polls and gathered about Hancock the leading white leaguers and bulldozers as his friends and advisers. It was the policy then inaugurated that has so effectively crushed free speech and a free ballot in the south. It was that policy by which Hancock prepared the way for the consummation of his own ambition in a solid south and his present position.

How do the Democrats expect to elect their man?

By Republican votes. They seem confident that enough of old Lincoln men and war veterans will endorse Hancock's southern brutality to elect him. Such is their only hope, however unreasonable it may appear.

In Borrowed Plumage.

A prominent Democrat, at Washington recently said "Democratic leaders will regret the action of the Cincinnati convention." That he is not a man it is to be in the Presidential chair "It has no opinions of his own" "with-out any civil experience." This gentleman then goes on to say: "The documents which appeared when he was military commander in Louisiana, during the days of reconstruction, as having been written by him, were prepared by another hand. This much I know. These political papers were not written by Judge Black, as alleged by Republican newspapers, but were written by Captain W. G. Mitchell, who figures in a report to the War Department as having been illegally appointed on General Hancock's staff, and as having drawn \$9,051.05 to which he was not entitled. Mitchell is a man of ability and has been useful in supplying brains to Hancock, and enabling the latter to get credit for political papers which he never wrote, and which he is incapable of writing. Let me say that Hancock has been flourishing in borrowed plumage and playing 'statesman' at the public expense. When the country comes to know his capabilities there will be a howl all over the land at the mistake made by our party at Cincinnati. I predict that as soon as the leaders see through Hancock they will close his mouth and keep him from public gaze."

The *Denver Times* says in making a distinction between Hancock and Garfield that "Gen. Hancock was a West Pointer, Garfield educated himself. Hancock's education was paid for from the public purse." Yes, and General Hancock paid with his services for his education. He didn't jump the army to go home and fish for office when his services were needed in the field.—*Sidney Telegraph.*

General Garfield did not "jump the army to go home and fish for office." He did not go home until after he had been elected. He was not at home at all during that congressional campaign. His friends took him up and elected him without any fishing or office seeking from him. The office sought the man. He went from the army as he went into it, at his country's call. In obedience to that voice he changed from one important post of duty to another as important. The President advised him, as he hesitated, to accept the position in Congress to which his friends had elected him. While there was an enemy in front, there was a most treacherous one in the rear. While the enemy demanded brave men at the front, able and brave men were needed in Congress and at home to watch and meet the attacks of such men as ENGLISH, Hendricks and Voorhes of Indiana, and Vallandigham of Ohio, who were firing in the rear, and nullifying the laws, and damaging the cause for the Union in every conceivable way. That's how Gen. Garfield came to "jump the army when his services were needed in the field."

By the way—wonder if Hancock will "jump the army" if elected President, when he is such a terrible General in the field?

If Hancock should be elected a thousand and negroes will come North to where there is one comes now; for there is no man in the United States they have better reason to dread than he. When he superseded Sheridan in the South, who had been protecting all classes in all their rights, there was presented the opportunity for the bulldozer and KKK, and such a reign of terror, murders and brutal outrages, over negroes and white Republicans, as never before equalled, before nor since. Gen. Preston in his Hancock ratification speech at Louisville, said in effect that Hancock's desperate partisan tyranny while he ruled the South, over the negroes and white Republicans, in keeping them from the polls and murdering those who attempted to vote, is what made him the Democratic nominee. Hancock has a record; investigate it honestly, and you will find it in a political sense much worse than you have imagined.

Harper's Weekly very truly says, "It is not often that the excitement and confusion of a nominating convention permit the nomination of a representative leader of a party, like General Garfield. . . . General Hancock represents no policy, no principle, no issue, nothing but the party which has nominated him. . . . General Garfield stands for the best sentiment of the party which has been identified with the patriotism, the intelligence, the free industry, the progressive spirit of the country. General Hancock represents a party without a programme or a policy and with the most damaging results."

Some narrow minded vindictive Republican anti-Grant sheets are exhibiting their deep chagrin upon learning that Grant is not supporting Hancock. Why bless their little miserable souls, General Grant will be found true to principle long after they have sold themselves to the enemy and are forgotten in the oblivion of pismires.

Uncle Henry Harmon, is wonderfully perplexed now-a-days, having discovered that he has ears higher than his head.—*Sheridan Post.*

Ewan is jealous of the altitude of Uncle Henry's corn ears as compared with his own elephantine auricular appendages. But the young man should not be discouraged—they are growing.

—The old squirt of THE ADVERTISER.—*Sheridan Post.*

Who exposed the elegant Mr. Ewan as a conceited ass, and convicted him of falsehood.

It seems that all Hancock wanted in the rebellion was a leader to have made him a second Benedict Arnold. The *Baltimore American* makes the charge.

Indiana is now regarded as altogether likely to go for Garfield and Arthur. Those who claim to be posted, and "back their opinion with money," are betting largely on the Hoosier State.

Near San Felipe, Kinney Co., Texas, last week, Martin Pew, of the surveying party of the S. P. K. K., who was riding horseback with a large sum of money, was murdered and robbed.

If Hancock should be elected the negroes will flee to the north, for they know they will have no protection from the Democratic Nero; then the common laborer will receive about one-half the wages he now does.

Don Platt, of the *Washington Capital*, Democratic, thinks Garfield will not be elected because the man of brains has never succeeded against the mullet head; and cites Webster, Calhoun, Cass, etc. If that is the rule Garfield will be the exception.

The loyal old soldiers of Indiana will not vote for Bill English, the old copperhead, who fired at their backs while they faced the southern armies. Indiana will cast her electoral vote for the two old tried and true Union soldiers, GARFIELD and ARTHUR.

"The humblest soldier who carried a musket is entitled to as much credit for the results of the war as those who were in command. So long as our young men are animated by this spirit there will be no fear for the Union.—*Gen. Grant.*"

Democratic speakers are claiming that all the credit belongs to Hancock and the Democratic party!

Capt. Bogardus and George Rimmel, of London, shot a match on the 21st inst., at Brighton Beach, N. Y., 100 yards, 800 yards, 600 yards, 300 yards, 200 yards, 100 yards, 50 yards, 25 yards, 10 yards, 5 yards, 2 yards, 1 yard, 1/2 yard, 1/4 yard, 1/8 yard, 1/16 yard, 1/32 yard, 1/64 yard, 1/128 yard, 1/256 yard, 1/512 yard, 1/1024 yard, 1/2048 yard, 1/4096 yard, 1/8192 yard, 1/16384 yard, 1/32768 yard, 1/65536 yard, 1/131072 yard, 1/262144 yard, 1/524288 yard, 1/1048576 yard, 1/2097152 yard, 1/4194304 yard, 1/8388608 yard, 1/16777216 yard, 1/33554432 yard, 1/67108864 yard, 1/134217728 yard, 1/268435456 yard, 1/536870912 yard, 1/1073741824 yard, 1/2147483648 yard, 1/4294967296 yard, 1/8589934592 yard, 1/17179869184 yard, 1/34359738368 yard, 1/68719476736 yard, 1/137438953472 yard, 1/274877906944 yard, 1/549755813888 yard, 1/1099511627776 yard, 1/2199023255552 yard, 1/4398046511104 yard, 1/8796093022208 yard, 1/17592186044416 yard, 1/35184372088832 yard, 1/70368744177664 yard, 1/140737488355328 yard, 1/281474976710656 yard, 1/562949953421312 yard, 1/1125899906842624 yard, 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